## WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

## WASHINGTON, DC

## ORDER NO. 4674

IN THE MATTER OF:		Served October 5, 1995
Application to Transfer Certificate No. 45 from J&B TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC., to JOHN AND BOLDEN, INC.	) ) )	Case No. AP-95-43
J&B TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC., Suspension and Investigation of Revocation of Certificate No. 45	)	Case No. MP-95-75

By application accepted for filing September 29, 1995, J&B Transportation Company, Inc. (transferor), and John and Bolden, Inc., a District of Columbia corporation (transferee), (collectively applicants), seek Commission approval of the transfer of assets, including Certificate of Authority No. 45, from the former to the latter.

Transferee proposes conducting operations with three vans under the rates published in transferor's current tariff.

Under Article XI, Section 11(a), and Article XII, Section 3(a)(ii), of the Compact, the Commission may approve the proposed transfer of assets, including Certificate of Authority No. 45, if the Commission finds said transfer to be in the public interest. The public interest analysis focuses on the transferee's fitness, the resulting competitive balance, the benefits to the riding public and the interests of affected employees.<sup>1</sup>

The application does not address the impact on employees. Applicants will be directed to file a statement addressing the expected impact of the transfer on the interests of affected employees.

Pursuant to Commission Rule No. 6, this order and fulfillment of its requirements will provide notice of the application.

## THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. That applicants shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than October 16, 1995, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.
- 2. That applicants shall file with the Commission, no later than November 6, 1995, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.

In re Franklin Charter Bus, Inc., & Franklin Motorcoach, Inc., No. AP-95-02, Order No. 4474 (Jan. 11, 1995).

- 3. That applicants shall file with the Commission, no later than October 16, 1995, an original and four copies of a statement addressing the expected impact of the transfer on the interests of affected employees.
- 4. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing with respect to the temporary approval application is November 6, 1995, and that copies must be served on transferee's President, Mr. Glen Bolden, 2304 E Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20002-4830.
- 5. That Case Nos. AP-95-43 and MP-95-75 are hereby consolidated pursuant to Commission Rule No. 20-02.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

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